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INTERNET TRAFFIC TO SERVER FARM TO SUPPORT (MIN,MAX)  
BANDWIDTH USAGE-BASED SERVICE LEVEL AGREEMENTS  
Inventors: Kiyoshi Maruyama, et al  
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Dear Sir:

Attached is a copy of the Corrected Filing Receipt, received August 4, 2000 for the above-identified patent application. As you will note, the Filing Receipt should indicate the inventors as **KIYOSHI MARUYAMA, KAREN APPLEBY-HOUGHAM and JEAN LORRAIN.**

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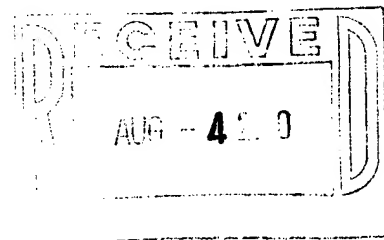
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